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UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Inventor(s): Andrew M. SPENCER

Confirmation No.: 4492

Application No.: 09/996,720

Examiner: C. CHACE

Filing Date: 11/30/2001

Group Art Unit: 2187

Title: METHOD TO STORE AND RETRIEVE MEMORY CARD USAGE INFORMATION

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT Technology Center 2100

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment (X) Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
() No additional fee (Address envelope to "Mail Stop Non-Fee Amendment")
(X) Other: Request for Continued Examination (fee \$ 770.00)

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------------------|-------------------------|-------------|---------------------------|
| (1) FOR | (2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | (3) NUMBER EXTRA | (4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | (5) PRESENT EXTRA | (6) RATE | (7) ADDITIONAL FEES |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 32 | MINUS | 27 | = 5 | X \$18 | \$ 90 |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 9 | MINUS | 5 | = 4 | X \$86 | \$ 344 |
| [] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM | | | | | + \$290 | \$ 0 |
| EXTENSION FEE | 1ST MONTH \$110.00 | 2ND MONTH \$420.00 | 3RD MONTH \$950.00 | 4TH MONTH \$1480.00 | | \$ 110 |
| | | X | | | | |
| OTHER FEES | | | | | | \$ 770 |
| TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT | | | | | | \$ 1,314 |

Charge \$ 1,314 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

Date of Deposit:

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Respectfully submitted,

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Date: 01/12/2004